

## Hydramedia shill thread - Worst Support Ever







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Join Date: Jan 2005 Location: Mansfield, TX Posts: 7,200



Quote:

Originally Posted by coda

I advise that everyone tries hydramedia instead. A much better site with more ads and friendly staff.

Yep, sign up with HydraMedia and you'll get an endless flood of emails like this...

Subject: Complainers...

"It's been a long weekend and all we need is a set of screams – so please remove these ones from your list ASAP..."

Subject: New Screamers - supress ASAP!

"lt's a LONG list so don't freak out - but be sure to suppress all the emails below from your entire list ASAP. They tend to complain :("

Subject: Remove Pronto

"Please clean your list from these complainers – kind of long again!!!! (I guess a lot of people out there hate getting emails!) :)"

Subject: Remove ASAP

"Here are some complainers to block from your holiday mailings....enjoy!"

Subject: Remove ppl

"Here are some more to black-hole from your database... (Last email addy is my FAV...lol)"

Subject: Remove

"Be sure to remove this complainer..."

Subject: remove

"Block this guy - he is the next Dan Balsam :)"

Subject: Remove > they hate emails!

"The following list of people REALLY do not appreciate receiving emails. Please add to your global unsubscribes:"

Subject: Remove

"Make sure to dump these ppl out of your list!"

Subject: Remove - these ones as well..

"Here are more complainers....remove these from your list pronto."

Subject: HUGE remove list...

"Here is some more ppl that hate getting emails >>> (if you need my master list – with all the old removes for your file as well...let me know!)"
"If you are mailing Inkjets - be especially SURE not to email this guy! He has been also added to the Ink offer suppression list!"

if you are mailing mkjets - be especially SORE not to email this guy: He has been also added to the link oner suppression list:

Subject: Remove list! HUGE

"It's an enormous list! So beware and have fun :) ...thanks"

Subject: Screamers "Please remove..."

Subject: Mail haters...

"Good morning > please remove these ppl from your list :)"

Subject: Huge remove list

"Don't freak out - it's a massive list this time – these ppl hate emails! Get them off your list ASAP ③ (btw – if you want the master list let me know.)"

Subject: New remove list

"Happy Monday – get these screamers off your list ASAP..."

Subject: Block from you list!

"Here is a lil gift for the weekend – block all these whiners!"

I don't know what's most troubling about this:

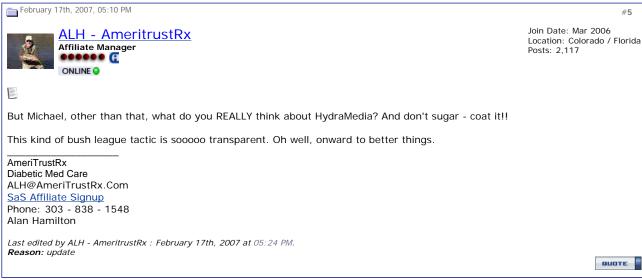
• The volume of email addresses on the remove list. (There are literally HUNDREDS of new ones in some of these emails!) Keep in mind that

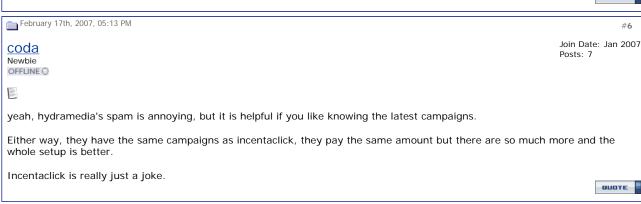
this: Most CPA Networks don't allow spammers to put direct CPA Network links in emails. They have to be links to another site, which redirect through the CPA Network and then to the offer. Most recipients will never see anything about the CPA Network. Only those who trace through the redirects will even know that the CPA Network was in the loop. These people had to trace the redirects, find contact information, and complain vocally enough that the CPA Network actually put them on a global remove list.

- That this is being sent to all affiliates (apparently) rather than just the offenders.
- That they don't take action against the offenders/spammers.
- The attitude that they have about those who complain. (For example, "complainers", "whiners", "screamers", "hate getting emails", and poking fun at some specific addresses.) They have absolutely no respect for these poor victims of spam.

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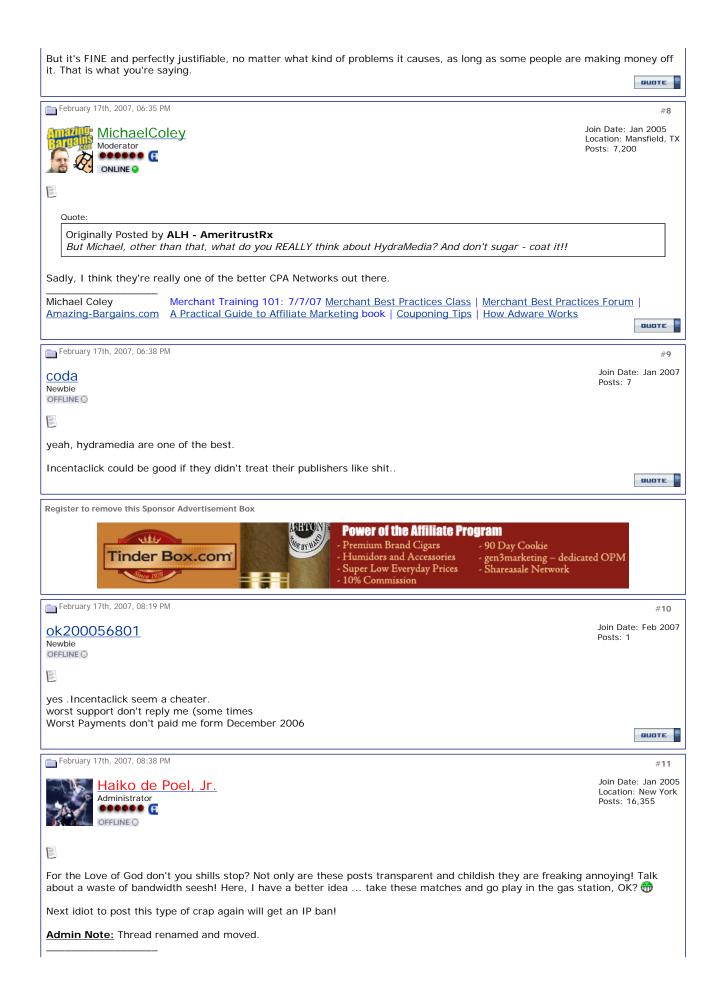
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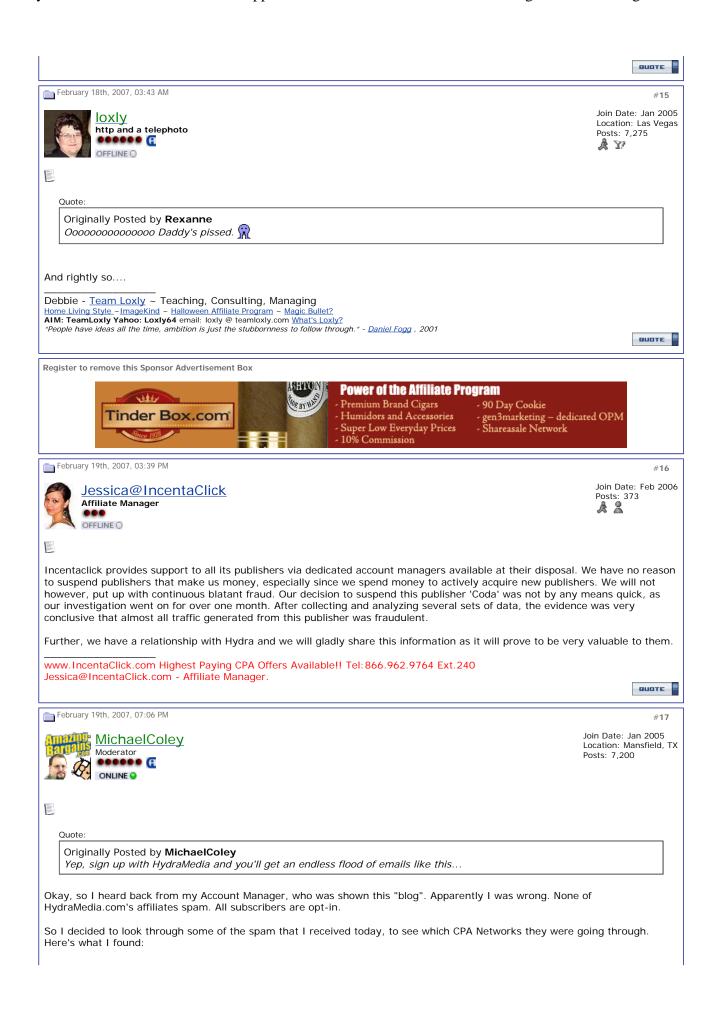












(Usually, the first on the redirect path is the spammer, the last is the advertiser, and the ones in between are CPA Networks.) Subject: 500 Dollar TOYS'R'US (R) Gift Card Inside Redirect Path: rtnvimail8.com, clicksmartaffiliates.com, greatamericangiveaways.com Subject: Forensic accountants are needed Redirect Path: avid-junction.net, adprofile.net (Adteractive), degreeusa.com Subject: Legally repair your credit to an A rating Redirect Path: veritonfind.com, ecreditrepair.com Subject: The year to further your career Redirect Path: rtnvimail18.com, free-college-info.com Subject: Cash Loans for women Redirect Path: premiumready.net, 6starads.com, quickcash4women.com, secure-cash.net Subject: Hello, Brighten your skin with Lumitone Redirect Path: theopenresource.com, marchnewsreturn.net, asseenontvnetwork.com, lumitonetv.com Subject: Financial aid is available for online universities Redirect Path: bigquestionmark.com, onlinestudentfinancialaid.com Subject: Canon Digital Camera for free! Redirect Path: scanningpie.com, eleadstracker.com (AdDrive), producttestpanel.com Subject: Wanna cut your chores in half? We have Tide 2x samples..Hurray! Redirect Path: dhifborg.info, twuecajo.info, lynxtrack.com, girlfriendremedies.com BINGO! lynxtrack.com is HydraMedia's tracking server. Found one from a HydraMedia affiliate after checking just nine spam emails. (And the very next spam email after that is a duplicate, sent one minute later.) Subject: Build your dream kitchen Redirect Path: rtnvimail6.com, forgyi.com (QuinStreet), guidetokitchenrenovations.com Subject: Manage your weight now Redirect Path: affordablevista.com, offerweb.com, hoodiatherm02.com Subject: Homeowners read on to save big Redirect Path: creativecasts.net, adprofile.net (Adteractive) Subject: To get your degree in a year- read on Redirect Path: secureinspiron.com, adprofile.net (Adteractive), degreeusa.com Subject: An Entire Case of Fine Wine plus a complimentary Vinters Wine Opener Redirect Path: securesolutionleads.com, clickboothlnk.com, clickbooth.com, 4seasonswine.com Subject: We Will Buy Your Property Now - Contact Us Redirect Path: rtnvimail13.com, rextopia.com, quick-house-buyers.com Subject: Hello, Let the bank to work for you Redirect Path: centralposition.com, commissionparadise.com, emortgagefinders.com Subject: Learn Ebay. Make Money Redirect Path: consumer-aware.com, clickboothlnk.com, clickbooth.com, onlinesuppliersignup.com Subject: Earn \$100, \$300 or more every week Redirect Path: affordable-advantage.com, primaryads.com, secureinternetstores.com Subject: Reduce Your Monthly Credit Cards Bills up to 75 Percent Redirect Path: servicewaretoday.com, 6starads.com, compete4me.com Subject: SAMPLE Tootsie Candy in a NEW Chocolate Flavor! Redirect Path: free2way.com, clickbooth.com, rewardsparade.com

Subject: Get IRS Tax Relief!

Redirect Path: salefreedom.com, ekmas.com (Media Breakaway), tracking101.com (Media Breakaway), redmccombsmedia.com, viralpartnership.com, (times out)

Subject: Help for Credit Card bills

Redirect Path: discoverytake.net, 6starads.com, debtfree2007.net

It's amazing the number of CPA Networks who allow spam like this.



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Host: hitthepins.net Connection: close

User-Agent: Big Daddy Spam Checker

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Content-Type: text/html; charset=UTF-8

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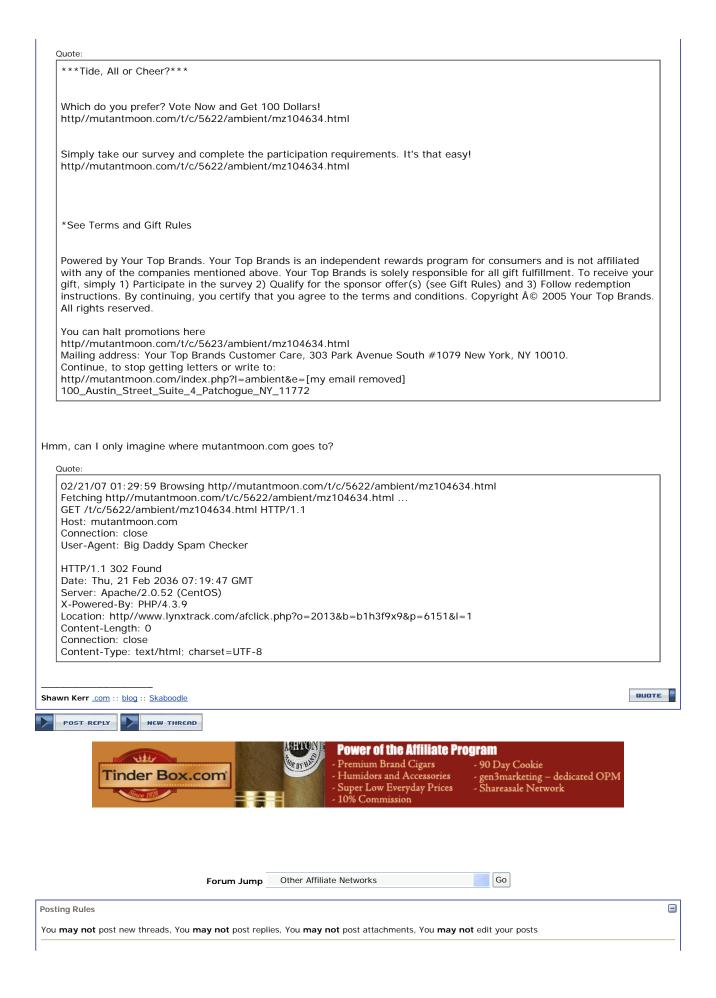
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